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For: DEVICE FOR ASSISTING A PERSON  
IN RESCUE OPERATIONS UNDER  
HAZARDOUS SITUATIONS

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- A. Japanese Utility Model Application Laid-Open (Kokai) No. JP 5-75892 published by the Japanese Patent Office on October 15, 1993.

The above-listed prior art is not in the English language, but the concise explanation of relevance of this prior art is incorporated in the specification pursuant to 37 CFR 1.98(a)(3). Nonetheless, an English abstract of the prior art is attached to the copy thereof and a full English translation of the prior art is enclosed.

It is, therefore, respectfully requested that the Patent Office make a record of this relevant art and consider it during the prosecution.

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